Asks \$5,000 Damages

Seeking to recover damages suffered when a heavy beam fell upon him, Harry F. Baker of Stamford appeared before Judge Gager and a jury in the civil superior court this morning to testify in his suit against the Buono Construction Co. of Stamford. He wants \$5,000 damages.

Baker was employed by the defend-ant company, which had the contract Keep Secret Information As Enraged Man Subdued Only for the erection of a big building in Stamford. On the day of the acci-dent an order was given to lower a beam. Another employe misunder-stood the order and the beam struck Baker, who was standing nearby. One of his legs was broken in two places. He claimed negligence on the part of the company. The trial had not been finished at press hour.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued today to William J. Flynn, of 71 Parallel street, and Mary E. Bray, of 123 Par-

RAEL-In this city, Jan. 19, 1916. Miss Joanna Rael.

Priends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 340 Harral avenue on Saturday, Jan. 22 at 8:30 s. m., and from St. Augustine's church at 9 s. m. Interment St. Michael's cemetery.

RAET In this city, Jan. 18, 1916.

at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Augus-tine's church at 9 a. m., with solemn "Caucasian front: The Ru

church at 10 a. m., with solemn high mass. Interment St. Michael's cemetery.

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BENWAY—In this city, Jan. 18, 1916,

Margaret Benway, daughter of Herbert and Rose Benway, 35 Curtiss

avenue, aged 26 years.

from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m. Interment St. Michael's cemetery.

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WOOSTER—In this city, Jan. 18, 1916, at the home of her niece, Miss Ella Peet, No. 342 John street, Miss

the \$7th year of her age.
Funeral private.

Surp COUGHIAN—In this city, Jan. 19, 1916, Mary Murphy, widow of Jeremiah Coughlin, aged \$1 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 124 Wood avenue court on Friday morning at \$3:30 a.m. and from St. Angustine's church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Michael's cemetery.

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PEERS—In this city, Jan. 19, 1916, Mary, wife of Thomas 19, 1916, Mary, wif

MARY, wife of Thomas Speers, at her residence, 254 Warren St.
Notice of funeral herenfter.

FRANCIS-In Fairfield, Jan. 16, 1916,

James Francis.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the late residence, Spring St., Pairfield, on Thursday, an 20, at 8:0 A. M., and from St. formas' Church at 9 A. M. Interment at St. Thomas' Cemo-

tery.

A18 b*p

SEEERY. In this city, Jan. 17, 1916,

Interment St. Michael's ceme

IN MEMORIAM

KETAER—In loving memory of my dear sister. Carolyn E. Keller, first wife of John A. Keller, D. C.; city has declared a quarterly, 1% per mother of Alice E. Keller, who died cent, on preferred stock, payable Feb. in New York city, Jan. 19, 1910, 15, was buried from my home, 602-604
E. 138th street, New York city,

Sister, MRS. O. J. SMITH, 211 Poplar St., City. anp

POR SALE—Couch bed, bargain, fine condition, 20 Colorade Ave., Mid-

FUNS. PURS!—We repair Pur gar-ments of all descriptions at reduced prices begining today at Tesiny's Fur Shop, 1316 Main St. Al8 b*p

YOUNG MAN with auto repair ex-

YOUNG MAN, 28, machine shop experience, wishes position anything Wm. Weeks, General Delivery, Bridgepost, Conn.

A 19 de room house, five minutes walk to village, will exchange for property in Bridgeport. Write to A. Lorrall-

lo, owner, 89 Ives Court.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to gratefully acknowledge with deepest appreciation the kind someonbrances and sympathy of our friends and neighbors extended to us in the dark hour of the loss of our beloved son and brother, Thomas Fritz; also to the numerous friends who contributed so generously the beautiful floral tributes. Especially do we wish to thank the Germania ladies and the spring department of the and the spring department of the Binger Manufacturing Company and the many friends who in any way helped to lessen the burden of sor-MRS. JOHN PRITZ

WANTED-GIRLS

on one and two needle maweek. Apply to the

THOMAS P. TAYLOR CO., Harral Ave. and James St.

Because Beam Hit Him POLICE RETURN HOLD-UP VICTIM

To Manner in Which Watch Was Recovered.

William F. Carrigan of 218 Elmood avenue has identified a watch, ford avenue and Kossuth street between 10 and 11 o'clock on the night of Dec. 21. The police refuse to divulge the in-

Official

TURKISH

World's War

Miss Elien S. Raei.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral at her late residence, 340 Harral avenue on Saturday, Jan. 22.

Constantinople, Jan. 19—The following official statement was issued. "Caucasian front: The Russians, high mass. Interment St. Michael's who sustained considerable losses in consequence of our violent attacks cemetery.

GILBERT In this city, Jan. 18, 1916, and owing to our reinforcements, were compelled to abandon their at-Mary, widow of John Gilbert.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Michael Clabby, 85 Poplar street, on Friday, Jan. 21 at 9:30 a. m., and from St. Mary's church at 10 a. m. with solemn of the provided in the street of the erwise no new development."

> Rhodes Refuses Job On City's Tax Board

avenue, aged 26 years.

Frederick Rhodes, settle.

Frederick Rhodes, settle.

Salts Textile Co., will decline the salts Jan. 21, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m. Interment St. Michael's cemetery.

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WOOSTER—In this city, Jan. 13, learned that after considering the matter, he has decided that his bus-matter, he has decided not permit matter, he has decided that his bus-iness engagements would not permit Mary Jane Wooster, daughter of the lats Lemuel and Anne Wooster, in giving the necessary time to the work of the 37th year of her age.

The \$5,000 damage suit of John Flood of this city against E. A. Dexter and J. Hamilton Elliott of Springfield, Mass., was settled out of court this morning. The trial of this action started yesterday before Judge Ga-ger and a fury in the civil superior court, but it is understood Judge Gager told the counsel today that the action would be a good one to settle out of court.

Terms of settlement were not made

Graphophone Co.

SARAH SALMON The funeral of Sarah Salmon was held from her late residence, 1481 Fairfield avenue, at 3:30 this after-noon. Rev. Charles Findlay, assistant rector of St. John's Episcopal church, conducted the services. Burial was in Mountain Grove cemetery.

FRANK T. WARD. The funeral of Frank T. Ward was

held from the Church of the Nativperience wishes position, Harry ity, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Anderson, Devon, Milford, Conn. C. W. Areson, rector of Trinity Epis-C. W. Areson, rector of Trinity Epis-copal church, conducted the services which were largely attended. was in Lakeview cemetery,

FREDERICK BAKER The funeral of Frederick Baker, who Wilson, Grasmere avenue, Fairfield, at 10:30 this morning, Rev. Charles Find-lay, assistant rector of St. John's church,

conducted the services. Burial was in Oaklaws cometery, Fairfield.

THOMAS HURESKY.

The funeral of Joseph B. Hogan was held from the Diks' home on State street, at 8:30 this morning and a half hour later from St. Charles' church, where the mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Thomas B. Gloster. A delegation of the Elks was present and acted as bearers. The body was shipped to Cleveland, for burial.

MARY MURPHY COUGHLIN.

Mary Murphy, widow of Jeremiah Coughlin, died this morning at her home, 134 Wood avenue, after a brief illness. Mrs. Coughlin was one of the chines; good pay; 48 hours a first Irish settlers of this city, where she had lived for more than 60 years, She was in her 81st year, Surviving her are two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Burns and Miss Mary Coughlin and a on, Jeremiah T. Coughlin.

> For the first time this winter, the red ball for skating was run up in the town of Wirt, Okla, has rendered every park in New York city. every park in New York city.

WIELDING PITCH FORK, ASSAILS AGENT BROWNE

After Flying Tackle By Policeman.

Visiting the home of Tony Venna at 285 Hollister avenue in search of a of the enraged Venna.

Policeman Browne was ordered to leave the premises and after he had wrested the fork from the grasp of formation as to how they came into Venna the latter started for his house possession of the watch. man. Browne chased after Venna and captured him by making a flying tackle. A lively tussle ensued, which ended in favor of the policeman. Venna was arraigned in city court today charged with violating ordinances and resisting a policeman. His ase was continued until Thursday in order to prove the ownership of the og to the satisfaction of the court.

MRS. D. K. RANOUS, AUTHORESS, ENDS

New York, Jan. 19.-Mrs. Knowiton Ranous, authoress, widely known as a translator of French and Italian literature, committed suicide at her home here today by inhaling gas. Dread of repetition of two paralytic strokes from which she had suffered was ascribed by her friends as the move for ending her life. Mrs. Ranous was a widow and live alone with a housekeeper, who found her ded in bed. To her friend and literary co-worker, Dr. Rossiter Johnson, she left money for funeral expenses and a note in which she said she was weary of my broken life with a spect of worse to come that I cannot bear it any longer."

"God will not be angry with me," the note continued. "I have confessed everything to him. He knows how much I can bear and must know I can bear it no longer."

Mrs. Thomas Speers Victim of Diabetes; Leaves Large Family

Mrs. Thomas Speers, admired and spected by many, died at her home, Men is Compromised 254 Warren street this morning after an illness of several years with diabites. Before her marriage to Mrs. Speers, as the widow of John Muldoon, she conducted a hotel at Hallett street and Crescent avenue for nearly 25 years. Her business was at the height of its prosperity in the days of the old car barn and the Hat shop, now the American & British Manufacturing Co. Mrs. Muldoon's fame as a woman of admirable character, whose professional dealings were firm but kindly, who possessed a great heart and who was both mother and

Joseph Muldoon; three daughters, Declares Dividend Mrs. Thomas Toomey, Mrs. Barney Kiley and Loretts Muldoon; also by Thomas, Frank, James, Patrick, Miles, John and Mary Speers, children of her husband by a former marriage. She was a devout communicant of the Sacred Heart church and beloved by all who knew her. Her stepsons, Patrick and Miles Speers, are valued employes of the mechanical department of The Farmer.

> Molit Has No Job But Plans to Wed;

She is doing housework with address Molit could not say.

fee for the marriage license. He gave physicists it is final.—Edgar Lucien his address as 548 John street. There Lakin in New York American is no such number on that street. In some states but not in Connecticut, it is a misdemeanor to give a fictitious died in New Rochelle, N. Y., was held address in connection with any in-from the home of his brother, E. H. formation concerning vital statistics.

EDWARD WELCH DEAD.

Hartford, Jan. 19-Edward Welch, who had been a florist in this city 33 years, died at his home here today of pneumonia. He was a native of Simsbury, born in 1862 and had been a resident of Hartford since 1883. was for seven years while still in business, a foreman for the Hartford Gas Light Co. and was prominent in fraternal circles,

THAMES RIVER PROZEN OVER,

Groton, Conn., (U. S. Marine Base,) Jan. 19-For the first time in years the Thames river in this vicinity was to prevent navigation by small boats, ises, too .- Judge. In consequence, the provisions for oficers and crew for the Fulton, Tono pah and submarines which are usually transported from New London, had to be forwarded by land.

SWEDEN PROTESTS SEIZURE OF SHIPS

Stockholm, Jan. 19-The Swedish government has lodged a protest in Berlin against the seizing by Germans of the steamships Capella and Hildur, which were captured two months ago. It is declared that investigations show vessels to have been taken in Swedish

Fire that almost totally destroyed

RADEL INVENTORY FOR CONNECTICUT

IS NEAR MILLION

Continued from page 1 * Cash in banks outside of Connecti-Industrial Trust Co., Providence, \$98.41; Union National bank, \$2,272.19; Fidelity Trust Co., \$3,-225.84; National Newark Banking Co. \$206.65; North Ward National bank \$147.50; furniture in house at 202 Washington avenue, Bridgeport, \$3,000; equity in furniture and fix-Bridgeport, tures in Gladstone hotel at Narragan-sett Pier, R. I., \$500.

Notes of Musson & Co., \$5,989.09; valuable dog, alleged to have been O'Brien, \$400; John F. Conover, \$510; which was held at police headquarters awaiting identification. Carrigan stolen, the life of John Browne, dog and liquor agent was placed in jeopardy yesterday afternoon when he was array yesterday afternoon when he was arr port, \$12,500; mortgage on real estate of Bound Brook Realty & Investment Co., Bound Brook, N. J., \$13,350; mortgage on real estate of Antonio Verderama, etal., of Bridgeport, \$4, 150; investment of machinery in the Radel Machine shop, Bridgeport, \$1,-000; Packard touring car, \$300; Oakland roadster, \$160; 13 bonds of Elizabeth & Raritan & River St. Railway Co. (equity), \$4,003.06; 4 bonds of Middlesex & Somerset Traction Co..\$3,-800: 3 bonds of Riverside Traction Co. \$2,700; 5 bonds of Brunswick Traction Co. (equity), \$250; 8 shares of River-side Traction Co.stock, \$320; 250 shares of Bridgeport Hydraulic Co. stock, \$48,750; 50 shares of Bridgeport Trust Co. stock, \$7,750; one share of Booth Fisheries Co. stock, \$35; 10 shares of First Bridgeport National bank stock, \$1,800; 3 shares of U. S. Rubber Co. first preferred, \$321; 24 shares of U. S. Rubber Co., common, \$1,296; 34 shares of Ocean Shore Realty Co., \$340; 1,300 shares of Standard Oyster Co. \$117,000; 5,000 shares of the Andrew Radel Oyster Co., \$275,000; 4,524 shares of The May Oyster Co., \$18,000; 310 shares of Anglo-American Oyster Co., \$6,000; 50 shares of Connecticut Oyster Co. \$2,000; 200 shares of Lockwood & Co. \$2,250; 300 shares of Triggs & Co. \$5,000: 20 shares of Carr Heckert Fish & Oyster Co., \$30,000; partnership investment with Tours & Co. at Crisfield, Md., \$1,000.

Oyster boats in Connecticut:— Steamers Bishop, \$4,500; Mildred, \$15,000; and Cambria, \$5,000. Gas Boats:—Martha, \$8,000; Albert, \$2,000; Laura R, \$2,000; Day-ton, \$100; Myrtle, \$3,500 and Mascot

\$4.000. Oyster Boats in New York:- Gas boats: Earle, \$2,000; Florence \$500; Sarah R., \$1,600 and Daisy \$800; Sloops Ariel \$500 and Gerard \$500; Power boat, Pilot, \$50; houseboat, Sentry, \$600; two scows, \$400. His real estate is represented by his home in Washington avenue, \$34,000; 44 feet south on Fairfield avenue (equity), \$4,500; 12 acres with water rights on Seaview avenue, \$7,500; 250 feet water front in Fairfield, \$8,000: 54 feet on Pine Creek, \$250; salt meadow at White Rock, Stratford, \$125; water

front, Water street, South Norwalk,

\$3,200; water front, Water street, South

Norwalk, \$12,000.

York World

Our First Naval Hero. The first naval hero of the United States - now almost forgotten-was Jeremiah O'Brien, a Maine man, whose racial descent is clearly indicated by his name. He commanded an American vessel in the first naval battle of the Revolution, which was fought near Machias, Me., June 12, 1775. Some little time before an English schooner, public, the lawyers merely saying that "terms were satisfactory to both sides."

Flood claimed there was money Brief the gave up her Broster, conspired to capture her. The Mr. Speers. She then gave up her broster, conspired to capture her. The steeper was successful, and, with Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 521

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20, et 2:250 a. m., and from Sacrad

Heart church at 5 a. m., with solution makes.

Mrs. Speers was a native of Ireland. She is survived by her huse make by Elliott, who had no authority in such matters.

Mrs. Speers was a native of Ireland. She is survived by her huse sent out to look for the Margranetto, and when O'Brien returned to Machina a be found them awaiting him. The first naval battle of the United States was fought then and there, and O'Brien and his men added the schooner and tender to their prizes.-New

> Speed of Light. The specific speed of cosmic energy as adopted by the United States government and published in the National Almanac is 186,324 statute miles per second. It is well for the reader to pause and think of this fact and permit the mind to again revert to it dur-Fiancee Working ing the day and during life. This number, 186,824, cost 220 years of ar-Andrew Molit, aged 22, is out of duous labor, beginning with Roemer, work but not afraid to marry. According to the representation he made to Town Clerk Schultz today he had the motions of the moons of Jupiter to induced Anna Siska, 21, of 125 Caro-line street to share his lot. Anna has final result is that obtained by the family in Washington avenue, what great masters, Newcomb and Michelson. And as this value of the speed of Molit was fairly well dressed and light has also been adopted by the had a dollar to pay the town cierk's Paris conference of astronomers and

> > Advice to Young People. Be not a counterfeiter, my boy. Counterfeits don't make good. Seek public office if you will, but where many things occur, few take

Larkin in New York American.

My daughter, always give the census taker your present husband's name. Why confuse him with a recital of past divorce or future alimony?

Ability, my children, is not all of one kind. One man gets what he wants because we like his amiability; another because we fear his irritability. Some professors are accounted wise because of their incomprehensibility, and I know a man who draws a pension for total disability.

My boy, I hope they'll call you "the sait of the earth;" but have some ginfrozen over this morning suffificiently ger and pepper on your mental prem-

> Willing to Oblige. John's father kept a candy store, and the little fellow often carried candy to school to divide with the other children. One morning the teacher noticed a strong smell of peppermint and began to investigate in order to stop eating during school hours. Unable to detect the culprit, she bent over small John and whispered:

"John, have you any candy?" "No, ma'am," he replied. "Have any of the other boys any?" "No. ma'am." As she turned away he touched her

hand and said, "I will bring you some at noon."-Ladies' Home Journal. Farmer Want Ads. One Cent a Word HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main street, Fairfield avenue and Cannon street

Bridgeport, Conn. Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1916.

The Weather:-Fair tonight and Thursday fair and warmer.

Mill-Enders make money.

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Here are the same sorts of merchandise as we sell throughout fhe year. Here are special lots of Mill Ends that measure right up to the store's regular standard. Here are wearthings of current style and of quality worth place in the Howland store and your service. Here are home furnishings and home needs of the very sorts you've tested over and over and always with satisfaction.

'Tis such merchandise that the Mill End sale brings:

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Every part of the storo offers something to the Mill-Ender.

Each section has a glowing story to tell, an interesting story; an economy story.

Better come and get that story at first-hand; right from the Mill End merchandise. And as you get the story, you get Mill End satisfaction and Mill End savings.

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

Flag Funerals. Britain is probably the only country that has ever allowed historical regimental flags to go in the pawnshop or auction room. As an instance, the First battalion Gloucester regiment in 1886 recovered from a pawnbroker at York four flags which the regiment had borne from 1795 to 1810 through the Egyptian and peninsular campaigns.

Another flag which for three years had proudly waved over the gallant Thirty-ninth foot during the great siege of Gibraltar was actually found covering the soft cushions of a trades-

man's sitting room. In the year 1888 a pair of old colors belonging to the Second battalion border regiment were rescued by Lord Archibald Campbell from a London upholsterer who had advertised them for sale as if they had been mere window curtains. These flags were afterward preserved at Kendal Parish church, and probably they are there

To prevent old colors meeting similar fates to the foregoing many of them have been cremated with great ceremony and the ashes carefully preserved in a box. Others have been buried with full military honors. - London Globe.

Harmless Flowers. What a freedom from cares and per-

plexities one finds among the flowers!

They are never unkind. You may be with them from morning till night and not have one bitter memory or disagreeable thought to take with you to your pillow. A tiger lily won't dig its claws into your breast, the calla lily will not prolong her call indefinitely. The sweet William's honeyed personality is honest and sincere; sweetness that will not under fancled provocation turn into vinegary revenge. The snowdrops will not chill you with cold words and looks. The dogwood will not bark at you or dog your footsteps. Jack-in-the-pulpit does not preach too loudly or make awkward gestures, taking your mind insensibly from the heavenly message he is striving to deliver and which your soul earnestly desires to grasp, the mind being willing, but the body weak. - Christian

Jupiter's Belts. It has been suggested by Lau that the reason Jupiter has belts instead of zones of spots is to be found in its rapid rotation. The material forced upward from the lower strata of the planet, bringing with a smaller linear

velocity than that of the surface, streams eastward and assumes the appearance of elongated streaks. If the merous belts are formed, and it is sug- | a republic. Time is longest when we centers of eruption are sufficiently nugested that, were the sun's rotation much more rapid than it is, the solar surface at spot maximum would also present dark streaks or belts. In accordance with this theory of belt formation the Scientific American notes that the great revival of Jupiter's north equatorial belt in 1912-13 began with the outbreak of a few isolated dark spots, which quickly spread out around the planet.

Ghost of the Castle. Hurstmonceaux castle, about the 'restoration" of which antiquaries ap-

pear to be perturbed, is strictly a fortified mansion-what Cromwell called "a strong house"-rather than a castle and probably the only English stronghold since Roman times that was built of brick. It once possessed the tallest that most men and women endowed and noisiest ghost in Europe. He was with the finest sense and apprehension nine feet high and used to stride along for good literature have no gift or tol-the battlements on stormy nights best-ent for effective expression in letters. ing a big drum. Some kill joy skeptic and it is as strangely and equally frue seems to have discovered that this that many of those who love music ghost was really a gardener signaling most cannot play any instrument or to Pevensey smugglers, with whom he sing even the simplest song. The was in league. Whoever he was, he world is crowded with people who achieved dramatic immortality through | have the acutest eye for form, color being introduced into a play by Addi- motion and linear grace who cannot son.-Westminster Gazette.

Where?

was verging on the hour of midnight. Journal. He sighed and was silent.-Boston

now, only for me?"

cumstances!-Life.

The Spenders. "How are you getting along, Jones, since you got marri d? Saving any money?"

my wife."-Exchange. Efficiency. The dial had just been invented. that I should have to punch a time

clock all day long."-New York Sun. Down on Him. Betty-I noticed you didn't even rise when Borely entered. Netty-Oh, I can't stand for him under any cir-

The world is biggest when we are young enough to conceive of the pastture as an empire and the city block as are young enough to see a day as an epoch, a week as an era, a summer vacation by seaside or lake shore as eternity itself. As we grow older the world grows smaller, and so does time. Space and time are nothing for boy o man save as he holds measures for them in hand or in memory. The bey understands ten feet because that is three long strides, and ten years because he has just lived them. Now we have lived another ten and yet another. but the first ten were the longest and are the truest measure, for the more years we are granted the more scornful of the gift we grow, though the more insistent, too, in our demand for more.-Collier's Weekly.

Why the Genius Is Born. It is a strange and perhaps and fact

either draw or paint. And it is that he may serve all of these superior-and yet unfavoredpeople that the writer, the musician "And where," demanded his wife, or the painter is born and equipped with flashing eyes, "would you be At his best even a genius is only the involuntary mouthplece; interpreter. The man glanced at the clock. It illustrator of his time-Minneapolis

Gargoyles of Notre Dame. The gargoyles of Notre Dame are commonly associated with the medicval spirit and queer obsessions of old Paris. As a matter of fact, most of them were executed under the direction. "Yes, but for heaven's sake don't tell of Viollet ie Duc when the cathedral was restored, no earlier than the middle of last century. Mr. Henry Hems. who is an authority on architectural subjects, declares that most of the gar-"Gee," remarked the sun, "it's tough goyles carved for Notre Dame at the time of the restoration were done by an Englishman named Frampton, "though I believe this fact is now remembered by very few."-Pall Mall

Gazette. Overwilling. "Do you think she will ever marry anybody?"

"Anybody,"-Judge